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People Should Carry White Handkerchiefs

Wilmington residents who are out on the streets at night in heavily dimmed out areas are urged by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles to carry white handkerchiefs in order that they may be seen by motorists.

Fatal accidents on Massachusetts highways have shown a serious increase since the army's new dimout rules became effective on November 30, Registrar Goodwin said.

During the past sixteen days, 28 persons have been killed in automobile accidents, all except two of them in dimout areas, he stated. Of the 28 victims, 23 were pedestrians and all but four of the pedestrians were killed at night. "It seems to me," Goodwin said, "that this situation may be remedied by reducing the speed in the dimout areas and by a more strict enforcement of the legal speed limit." It can also be remedied by pedestrians if they will exercise ordinary commonsense and more care while on the highways at night, he says and advises that every pedestrian wear something white on his person or carry a light. The legal speed limit in all dimout areas is thirty miles an hour.

Former Wilmington Lady Buried on Tuesday

Mrs. Addie Andrews, 75, died recently at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. Mullett of Tewksbury after a long illness.

She was born in Stoneham and had lived in Wilmington with her son, Wilfred Andrews, for about 20 years until she was taken ill about a year ago. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from her home and burial was at Lindenwood cemetery, Stoneham. She is survived by two sons, Wilfred A. of this town and Irving of East Foxboro; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Wentworth of Kennebunk, Me., and Mrs. D. Mullett of Tewksbury.

LIQUOR LICENSES

At the regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen the applications for liquor licenses will come before the board. A large gathering is expected to attend this meeting.

Miss Catherine Esler Awaiting Service Orders

Miss Catherine Esler of Main was sworn into the WAACS Saturday and is now awaiting orders to report for training. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Esler. She was graduated from the local high school in 1931 and took a post graduate course at St. Charles parochial school in Woburn. Her mother is a past state president of the American Legion auxiliary.

KILLED IN ACTION

Sympathy is extended Mrs. Chas. Matthews of Columbia street on the death of her brother, Owen Nichols, who was a member of the Newfoundland navy marines. She received word that he was killed in action.

country. For these positions applicants must have had at least three years of paid active experience as an X-ray laboratory or have completed a course in a school for clinical laboratory technicians provided by the American Medical Association and have one year of experience in an X-ray laboratory. Salaries begin at \$1620 per year for these positions.

We all want our soldiers to obtain the best possible treatment when ill or injured, and one of the most essential requirements is enough of the right food properly cooked to army hospital patients. To provide his need an urgent appeal for thoroughly qualified dietitians is made by Army officials. War service appointments beginning at \$1800 per year await qualified women who have completed a full four-year course leading to a bachelor's degree in a college or university of recognized standing with major study in dietetics.

Full information on these positions may be obtained from the nearest office of the U. S. Employment Service or from the First U. S. Civil Service Regional Office, Room 1030, Post Office Building, Boston.

Miss Libby Stren Married to Sgt. Alden

Miss Libby Anna Stren of Warren st. Tewksbury was married to Sgt. E. Lloyd Alden of Brockton December 14. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Stren.

After a week's honeymoon Sgt. Alden returned to California where he is stationed.

The welfare board met last evening the following holiday.

—Deputy Chief Francis Hoban of the police department was tendered a testimonial Tuesday night at Legion hall. About 75 friends gathered there to wish him well as he is to report at Boston as a member of the U. S. Navy on Monday morning Dec. 28. He is to be in the military police unit. He has been a member of the local department for 12 years and was decorated by the board of selectmen for capturing a bank robber who is now serving a sentence. Thomas Johnson, a member of the Boston police department, was master of ceremonies and introduced the various guests seated around the banquet table. He presented Chief Harry Alsworth who presented Hoban with a purse in behalf of his many friends. Chairman Frank W. Dayton of the board of selectmen wished "Nifty" Hoban well on behalf of all the members of the board. Other friends of Hoban were Dr. Gerald Fagan, Joseph B. McMahon, William McLaughlin, William S. Cavanaugh and James W. Castine. Music was furnished by

School Committee Vote To Teach Electricity

One resignation was accepted and appointments were made at the meeting of the school committee Monday at the home of the chairman, August MacLeod of High street.

It was voted to teach the elements of electricity, machinery and radio the second half of the year, which begins in February as requested by the government. The use of the gymnasium for band rehearsals once a week was granted.

The question of awarding diplomas to seniors who are called to the service was discussed, but no action was taken. The committee plans to act as other schools in the state in the matter of giving diplomas.

The resignation of Mrs. Dorsey Thurlough, teacher at the Silver Lake school, was accepted and Miss Other appointments were made were

Miss Helen Barrett as principal of the school in place of Miss Mildred Rogers, Miss Mary Feeley from substitute teacher to regular at the Whitefield school and Miss Phyllis Johnson as teacher at the Walker school.

A Christmas party was tendered the children of the members of the Silver Lake Betterment association recently. Santa, played by William Curtin, distributed a gift and a bag of candy to 120 children. Games were played and carols were sung.

Refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served by a committee, which included Mrs. George Boylan, chairman; Mrs. William Curtin, Mrs. Joseph Cunningham, Mrs. James Fleming, Mrs. Ruth Hodgson, Mrs. Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Patrick Rooney, Mrs. Leonard Chisholm, Mrs. Theodore Arsenault and Mrs. Thornton.

Edward Lyons, Buddy Minor and John Ford. Vocal solos were rendered by William Babine, Stephen Colucci, Michael Scelzo, Harold Woodman and Chief Alsworth. Deputy Hoban excelled in an Irish jig dance. Chief Frank Gammons was in charge of the affair and was assisted by Ernest Gail, Walter Pritch and Truman Bennett.

The West Wilmington Community club entertained 37 children at the Christmas party recently. Santa Claus gave out gifts and candy. Games were played and carols were sung. There was a grab bag for the adults. The regular business meeting will be held on Dec. 31.

Army Hospitals Need More Aid As War Advances

Army hospitals throughout the country are in urgent need of physiotherapy aides, dental hygienists, assistant X-ray technicians, dietitians, Mr. Joseph E. Baldwin, Manager of the United States Employment Service office of the War Manpower Commission, located at 28 Mounvale Avenue, Woburn announced today. "We consider it the patriotic responsibility of qualified men or women to make themselves available for this work," Mr. Baldwin continued.

War service appointments as physiotherapy aides at a beginning salary of \$1800 await qualified men and women who have had at least 18 months of experience as a physiotherapy pupil aide or a junior physiotherapy aide. Applicants must have completed a full course leading to graduation from a school of physiotherapy meeting the standards established by the American Medical Association, or have successfully completed a full course as an Apprentice Physiotherapy Aide in an Army hospital.

Women who have successfully completed a full course leading to graduation from a recognized school of oral hygiene and who are registered as dental or oral hygienists in a State Territory or the District of Columbia, are eligible for the positions of dental hygienists. Applicants must have had at least two years of experience in oral hygiene in public health or school work or in a private ethical dental office. Salaries begin at \$1620 per year for jobs throughout the country.

There are also many vacancies for Assistant X-ray Technicians in Federal hospitals throughout the

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News of 1942 tells of Churchbells in England, Gray Hair, 'Steaming Stars' and a Breath Holder

By CLIFF LANGE

Released by Western Newspaper Union

During the past year news of the Allies battling the Axis, war production, conscription, wage-price-labor control measures, all have shoved many stories to the back pages. Stories that might have been "played up" more than they were.

The following is a quick summary of some of those many news-shorts, and human interest stories.

JANUARY

Dr. Howard E. Wilson in an address in New York city said that most Americans are guilty of "geographic illiteracy" and that Hitler's successes were made possible because of his knowledge of the geography and economics of the nations he intended taking under his "protection."

Later on two Boston, Mass., doctors, Herbert D. Adams and Leo V. Hand reported that a man, operated on for a lung ailment, whose heart had stopped beating for 20 minutes, was brought back to life and in good condition. They had kept his brain and the rest of the body supplied with oxygen.

FEBRUARY

Many of you have seen in the movies, or heard on the radio the personality known as the "Voice of Experience." He was Marion Sayle Taylor. "Way" is the correct verb for he died February 1 at the age of 53, from a heart attack, in Hollywood.

In the middle of the month meeting, John W. Studebaker, U.S. commissioner of education, told a meeting of 1,600 teachers in the East that schools must modify their

Amazing Ways to Do Amazing Things Shown in Record of 1942 Accidents

In the topsy turvy year of 1942 one bit of Americana remained unchanged. Unusual accidents kept on happening as usual.

A roundup by the National Safety Council, Chicago, Ill., of dizzy mishaps for the year reveals that no war or no war, a lot of people found time to do amazing things in amazing ways. For instance:

Saleslady Bonnie Swank of Bridgeton, N. J., tried valiantly to fit a small girdle on a plump customer. She tugged so hard she was tugging the handle on a severe back injury. The customer took the girdle.

Eugene B. Grabbe of Denver has never been a circus trapeze performer, but he was when he saw a girl he thought he knew. He waved at her. She waved back. Placed but distracted by the girl, he fell from the top of his safety belt gave way. Grabbe hurtled himself backward with such force that he floated through the air with the greatest of ease, cleared a 16-foot space and landed on his feet atop an adjacent four-story building. He came both legs, but considered himself lucky.

End of Controversy

The "War" method of dousing incendiary bombs was better than the "spray" method which the Office of Civilian Defense had come out for last week previous, was settled in favor of the "jet" method in New York on July 28, 1941, when two army sergeants doused a four-pound incendiary bomb in 18 seconds with a three-gallon tank stream of water.

course of studies. Schools should add technical courses, stress health education and Latin America.

Down in Puebla, Mexico, the Astrophysical congress was told that the Milky Way system is 180 million billion miles from the sun. Scientists meeting at Columbia University, New York, were told by Prof. Roger Williams, University of Texas, that an abundant source of vitamins promotes "intellectual keenness" and also are "capable of fostering morality."

MARCH

Hold your breath on this one: Eugene J. Frechette Jr., 29, New Haven, Conn., junior at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn., brought honors to his Alma Mater by establishing a record by holding his breath for 20 minutes, 5 seconds in a laboratory test. OK, let out your breath now. What did your wife say when you told her that one?

One of the most outstanding hero-adventure news-stories of the month concerned the three Yank airmen's adventures as a rubber raft 8 feet by four feet after they had crashed in the Pacific. They finally reached a South Sea island, starving and nearly mad.

A New Jersey building contractor, Claude Haberster, tried out some new ideas he had made. He drove 75 miles an hour on a concrete highway and said the tires should last for 12,000 to 15,000 miles if the speed was kept down.

APRIL

Somehow or other, as the files are scanned of this year's news, it seems that vitamins had more than usual amount of news-coverage. For instance: The para-aminobenzoic acid of the vitamin B complex known as paba, (easier to say, too) was given to 30 gray-haired prison inmates.

The "inhabitants" of the original coat of the hair in more than two-thirds of the cases in eight months. The "inhabitants" in almost all of the cases, varying in age from 25 to 97, was greatly increased.

In a marriage between German and Jew the Gopman was and get by far the better of the bargain. That is what Dr. Ashley Monaghan, Philadelphia, had to say after a meeting of anthropologists at Harvard. Another "myth" of the Nazi racial theory "myth."

MAY

Here are a few of the Pulitzer Prize winners, as announced by Columbia University: Meritorious public service by a newspaper prize went to the Los Angeles Times; best national reporting award went to the Chicago Bears, professional football champs, defeated the College All-Stars, 21-0, before 102,000 (that's right) fans at Soldier Field, Chicago.

On the 25th anniversary of his consecration as bishop, Pope Pius broadcast to the world, appealing for peace. He said, in part: "The family is sacred, it is the cradle not only of children but also of the nation, of its force and its glory. Do not let the family be alienated or diverted from its high purpose assigned to it by God."

JUNE

According to the U. S. census bureau, more than 38 million persons 25 years old, or older, completed at least eight years of grade or elementary school. More than 18 million in the same classification had finished high school.

And another thing, said Dr. M. Langhans of the University of Michigan, "explosion" doesn't actually explode. They just merely "let off a little steam."

At the end of this month the nation faced a shortage of 50,000 teachers, especially in mathematics and physics. The draft, higher wages in industry were the cause of many schools deciding to close in 1943.

JULY

From July 2 to July 5, 230 persons were killed through the month. Last year (1941) there were 628 deaths.

Obustian composer Shostakovich's Seventh symphony, dedicated to "our struggle against Fascism, to our future victory, to my

native city, Leningrad" was heard for the first time in the U. S. when played by the NBC symphony orchestra conducted by Arturo Toscanini in New York City.

Dr. Grinnel Jones, and co-worker Dr. J. A. Jones, of Harvard, announced the perfection of a new fire-resisting chemical which can be sprayed or painted on wood to make it practically fire-proof. OK for plastic planes?

AUGUST

This sounds as though it is not meant to be, but it is all earnest. A witness, known only as Mr. Murray, testified before a Senate military sub-committee on making combat-carrying submarines to save steel. In case you have doubts remember that Sen. Josh Lee said he is convinced of the party's feasibility.

Yale university announced the award of 10 scholarships to labor union leaders. They'll start next February and receive \$2,000 a year. A research project on

the development of trade unions. There was no statement as to whether the "continuous membership" and "check-off" clauses were in the awards.

Do your followers of the sport page remember reading how the Chicago Bears, professional football champs, defeated the College All-Stars, 21-0, before 102,000 (that's right) fans at Soldier Field, Chicago?

SEPTEMBER

Along comes this month and you are told, according to London AP reports, an unpublished Sherlock Holmes story, "The Man Who Was Wanted," was found by Adrian Cox, Doyle, son of the writer. He said his father didn't want it published because it just wasn't up to scratch.

You old-timers remember the Police Gazette, don't you? It has been a legend from the mails by the post office department. Lascivious, lewd material was the reason given.

OCTOBER

The Sister Elizabeth Kenny method of treating infantile paralysis by hot applications, massage and exercise, which has caused so much trouble to the medical world, is to be taught in six New York hospitals.

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CHICK TUBE KEPT ALIVE In Tube Over 31 Years
On January 17, 1912, Dr. Alexander C. Leitch, a piece of tissue from the heart of a chick embryo. That piece of tissue is still alive in the Leitch Laboratory, Pearl River, Rockland County, New York. In terms of human life, the tissue is more than 200 years old. It is kept alive by continual "feedings" of new tissue.

Dramatic Critic's Selection of 10 Best Plays
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Star Dust

STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO
By VIRGINIA YALE
Released by Western Newspaper Union.

SOME movie stars can appear in public without being recognized, if they choose to, but not Gary Cooper. Several times lately a sport correspondent, doing a spot of dog-walking, has met him striding along one of the streets of the neighborhood—his New York residence is nearby. With his hands in the pockets of his dark blue overcoat, the hero of "For Whom the Bell Tolls" marched past women out doing their marketing and nursemaids out with infants—and left behind him a trail of people with their heads turned, looking at him. He's so tanned and so thin and walks so well that he'd be noticed anywhere.

Claire Trevor thinks a red coat is just the thing to be murdered in. When buying her own wardrobe on "Street of Chance," a murder mys-

ter in which she's working with Burgess Meredith, she bought a nurse's uniform, a print dress, a green suit—and the significant red coat.

CLAIRE TREVOR
Pedro, a baby airplane, battles a mighty mountain in a raging blizzard so that the mail can go through. In one of the sequences of Walt Disney's "Saludos Amigos," this is the picture based on the three-month tour of South America made by Disney and a group of his artists. Donal Duck, Goofy and a sporty parrot share honors with Pedro. REO will release the picture early next month.

Happy Cortes and Mary McGuire make their Hollywood debut in "Seven Days' Leave"; keep your eyes on them, for they're discovered by Tim Whelan. Formerly a gag man on Harold Lloyd's pictures, he's acted, written scenarios and directed. "Seven Days' Leave" is a comedy. "The Girl Who Came to Supper" is a comedy. "The Girl Who Came to Supper" is a comedy.

Exotic Flower Prints Are Embroidered With Sequins
Just about the prettiest print frocks that imagination might picture are the new black crepe prints adorned with perhaps not more than two or three huge flower prints in gorgeous colors. But that tells only half the story of their fascinating charm, for these exotic flowers scintillate with multi-colored sequin embroidery. Newly arrived, these eye-entrancing prints have a big future before them. To see these beautiful gowns is to feel that you must have one.

Quilted Fabric
If your hat, bag, jacket or even the entire outfit is made of quilted fabric, it is in high style. If you are your own milliner and dressmaker, it will be helpful and interesting to know that you can buy quilted materials by the yard. Whip them together in a jiffy.

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AMERICAN RED CROSS
THE Junior Red Cross in the schools of the nation. It is also the world's largest youth organization, with more than 14,000 members in the United States. The principal duty of the Junior Red Cross in war time is the making of comfort and recreational articles for our service men everywhere. During the past year, Junior Red Cross members made more than 3,000,000 articles, such as gas masks, recreational furniture and writing kits.

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—A representative from the State House has viewed several buildings in Wilmington and made recommendations to the Selectmen for changes to better guard the public in case of fires.

"Home" for Christmas!
HELP THEM HURRY
"HOME" BY OMITTING
YOUR LONG DISTANCE
CALLS



YOU may be sure that at Christmas time they are all thinking of home.

Many American boys in training camps throughout the country are spending their first Christmas away from their families. They would like to be home, of course, but this year many of them are planning to wish Mother and Dad a Merry Christmas by telephone.

You can make it easier for them to get "Home" for Christmas by not placing long distance calls over the holidays.

But if a call is urgent, we know, you will be patient with any delays. You want military calls to come first. So do we.

Christmas Suggestions

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MAKE ALL CONVERSATIONS BRIEF.

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Oil Shortage Now Certain

Urge Use Of Coal

Regardless of the degree of progress that may be made toward increasing the flow of liquid fuel into New England in the next three months, the one thing upon which all official and private sources agree is that it is a physical impossibility for New England to have all the heating oil that it would like to have next winter, and that conversion to coal, wherever possible, is essential to the welfare of the area and the individual. In all probability, oil users who can and do convert will have more peace of mind in the coming cold weather than those who fail to do so. There is no magic wand to be waved over New England next winter for the benefit of either the coal or oil companies. The full details of the conversion program have not yet been announced from Washington. It should be further noted that the banks of New England have been authorized to extend credit to consumers for the purposes of conversion; also for insulating or other installations designed to conserve fuel.

New dehydration processes can serve shipping space by eliminating 95 per cent of the water in meat. The 350 pounds of lean meat from an ordinary steer may be reduced to 88½ pounds.

Although milk is a world wide favorite as a beverage, more persons drink goat's milk than cow's milk.

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Motor Accident Report For December

There were eighteen persons reported killed by motor vehicles last week, two fewer than in the week before and the same amount as in the same period last year.

Fifty-five operators were convicted last week of driving while under the influence of liquor, thirty fewer than in the preceding week. Four persons were convicted for the second time within six years in district courts for operating while under the influence of liquor. One was given a jail sentence which was suspended, one was given a jail sentence and appealed, one was given a fine which was suspended and two were given fines which were appealed.

There were six hundred and forty-two licenses and registrations suspended, or revoked, two hundred and seventy-eight; lower than in the week before, and seven hundred and ninety-one fewer than in the corresponding period of last year. Of these sixty-four were for driving after drinking intoxicating liquor and seventy revocations resulted from insurance cancellations.

A comparative statement of auto deaths recorded during the second week of December 1941 follows:

	1941	1942
Pedestrians	9	13
Occupants	0	5
Total	18	18
Adults	16	17
Children	2	1

Eighteen motor vehicle fatalities were recorded during the past week the same number as in the corresponding period a year ago. One child was killed while coasting, and another victim was a motorcycle operator. Boston had a bad record, with five deaths.

During the week 64 licenses were taken away for driving after drinking, and 314 were suspended for improper operation. There were also 276 warning letters sent to persons complained of by the police and the inspectors for operating in an improper manner.

Total deaths last year to date 618; this year to date, 476.

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Center Branch Elects New Officers

The Center branch of the Congregational church held its regular meeting recently at the home of Mrs. Otto Swenson on Adams st. with Mrs. Fred Hallett as hostess. The meeting was conducted by the captain, Miss Louise Hosmer, and six members were present. Members worked on fancy articles and more work was given out. The food and fancy article sale will be held before Easter.

In an effort to kill current rumors regarding voluntary enlistment in the Naval Service, Lieut. Comdr. George M. Powers, Jr., officer in charge of Navy Recruiting for the Greater Boston District, today said that unlimited numbers of youths of 17 and men between 38 and 50 can still voluntarily offer their services for the Navy "and at any time."

"Not only are men in these age brackets at liberty to volunteer their services directly for Uncle Sam's Fleet, but we are only too eager to help them exercise their rights," Lieut. Comdr. Powers said.

On January 31 the Aids to Victory will entertain service men in Boston at the Seamen's club Liberty square at tea in the afternoon and with Church services at seven o'clock in the evening.

—Mrs. Charles Sumner will be in charge of the program for the meeting on Monday of the Aids to Victory.

—The local post office did a splendid job in handling the large amount of mail coming and going from town, with the help of several attractive local girls. Postmaster Henry Porter kept the mails moving.

To stretch meat combine it with other good foods—vegetables, bread crumbs, potatoes, rice or spaghetti and the same amount will go considerably further. Stuff chops and bread cutlets.

The Boston Navy Recruiting Station in the Post Office Building is open daily from 8 A.M. to 10 P.M. for men of 17 and those between 38 and 50, married or single, who desire to enlist in the Navy or Naval Reserve.

DELIVERIES

The Federal Government now requires all trucks to operate under a Certificate of War Necessity. This Certificate has drastically reduced our gasoline rations and mileages beginning DEC. 1st. Therefore we must require our customers to give us—

AMPLE NOTICE ON DELIVERIES

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Complete line of Holiday Liquors, Wines and Beer

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